"What do you want?" was demand-od in a tremulou-ly high tone.
"My name is Worth, from Rgloated over the time we might meet.
A year passed by and chance threw us together, and—but come closer to me."
I bent my ear down to his lips and he hew to Robert Worth," I re-

hissed between his elenched teeth -

damp ground? Aye, yes!"

How should I decide?

I quickly stole from my room to that

"I reject your offer."
I expected a torrent of passion. There

It is a hard thing to keep a man down when he is determined to rise.

of my uncle's. Without knocking I

How pitifully he mounted these sen-tences! Growing more calm, he said: "When my arm struck the fatal blow

I started back as if I had been shot.

Happening to glance up to the mirror for one second I saw the face of Flora

"Come in," was all she said, and I us ushered into the hall.
"I followed har along the hall until we

I followed her along the nan unit.

"You may remain here until I acquaint master of your arrival," she said, and left me to myself.

"And the wife?" I gasped under the "And the wife?" I gasped under the

A fire burned dimly in the old-fash-oced grate at the other end of the positions parior. Two wax candles sured in the chandelier. The room the old man, "for my bloody deed made was furnished in a manner that de-clared the owner to be a man of taste, retinoment and wealth. Paintings bung upon the walls in such numbers that ne imagined himself to be in the studie.

"I am her murderer, too," hissed the old man, "for my bloody deed made her a maniac for years, when she died!" "Are you sure she died!" I de-manded.

"Sure!" gasped the old man. upon the walls in such numbers that one imagined himself to be in the studio of same great artist.

"Sure!" gasped the old man. "Didn't I see her laid out in the white shroud? Didn't I see her lowered in the cold.

The window-shutters were all closed and seemed not to have been opened to

se time pendering over my strange I did more than marder a husband-I

adventure.

Robert Worth was my father's own brother. Pe early life they had quarreled and ever since were known to cach other as enemies. This accounted for the "precarious" relationship that had existed between us. Robert Worth had existed between us. Robert Worth had never married, and up to the time he had sent for me on his death-hed I had never seen and seldom heard his name mentioned in connection with my own.

I did more than murder a husbaud—I murdered a father. The babe was a little gul. No one imagined me that when the dred was done the world supposed it was the work of some unknown assassin. No one saw me, except—Marguerite. My secret is safe in her keeping.

"I have provided for the child until now she is a woman. The same face that caused me my life's agony and crime is under this root. She loves me

Attention, and one of them I was sure crime. I am dying by degrees, and she will be left alone in this cursed world. I make you my heir—the will is made—on condition that you marry her. All the wealth I possess is here by e years old. There was a great ahlance between him and my a There was the same plereing the heavy black eyebrow; the te ness and firm mouth which dedared him to be a Worth.

The other two paintings to which I erred were those of a man and

and must have been twenty-need two years of age. To say he was handsome would but poorly express it. He was of that class of manly beauty which mere words are found inadequate to express. A high, broad fore-head, tark eyes and bair, and a mouth so perfect in its formation that even in the painting one almost imagined they heard it speak.

again. Here was fortune at my fing ends only waiting for me to grasp. painting of the woman (or, I say gri, for she could not have beyond her teens) was very ful. Her beauty was entirely nt from that of the man's just ion poverty was. Here was wealth and happiness before me and an angel for bed-a beauty that was purely be, golden hair, skin of ivory a, golden hair, skin of tvory as, eyes whose azure rivaled that unmer skies—sye, eyes in which makes cowards of us all." In accepting the read thoughts as pure as an ing this I must sacrifice my manhood, must be the receiver of blood-money. a wife - why did I hesitate?"

You may come with me. Knowledged that it is started visibly as that tremuleus hers by right. It was enough. Before the cid-fashioned clock in the hall struck five fashioned clock in the course I should pur-

went and left the room, I following.

We passed up three flights of stairs, went and came to z closed door: that, I felt astinctively, belonged to the owner of

main where you are," spoke the man, and taking the candle with a left me alone, standing in utter out to receive mine. His eyes were glazed. He was dead:

was gone about five minutes,

The room was not large, but every-

fine was imposed upon the owner of the offending beast, as was the case with Jehan Delalande and his wife, con-demned on the 18th of April, 1499, by the Abbey of Josaphat, near Chartres, to pay eighteen france "on account of the murder of a child named Gillon, aged five years ard a half, or there abouts, committed by a porker, aged three months, or thereshouts." The purker was "hanged and executed by

The records of medieval courts and the chronicles of medieval cloisters are full of examples. That such cases usually came under the jurisdiction of monasteries will not seem strange, when we remember that these religious estab-lishments were great landholders, and at one time owned nearly one-third of all real estate in France. The freiency with which pigs were ad indged death was owing in great measure to the freedom with which they were permitted to run about the bouses as well as to their immense number. They became a serious nuisance.not only us endangering the lives of children, but also as generating and disseminating diseases: so that many cities, like Grenoble in the sixteenth century, anthorized the enraifex to sieze and slay them whenever found at large.

But although pigs appear to have been the principal culprits, other quadrupeds were frequently called to answer for their crimes. The judiciary of the Cistercian Abbay of Beaupre, in crime is under this roof. She loves me (49), sent a bull to the gallows for bav-ing "killed with furiosity a lad of fourteen or fifteen years of age;" and in 1389 the Carthusians at Dijon cansed a horse to be condemned to death for micide. The magistrates of Bale, in 1474, sent-need a cock to be burned at the stake for the helnous and unnatural crime of laying an Seeing that I hes tated, he said:

"Go to your room and at five o'clock posed to be the product of a very old cock and to furnish the most active and effective incredient of witch ointand effective ingredient of witch oint-Marguerite made her appearance and conducted me to my room.

I slept very little that night. Horrid dreams came to vex me, and I was up long before five o'clock the next and 'death-darting eye,' destroy all the investment of the conduction of the ment. When batched by a serpent or and "death-darting eye," destroy all the inmates. Naturalists believed in this fab'e as late as the eighteenth Here appeared an opening which per-haps never in a life-time would come century; and in 1710 the French savant Lapeyronic read a paper before the Academie des Sciences to prove that the eggs attributed to cocks owe their

peculiar form to a disease of the hea. Animals, also, bore their full part of persecution during the witcheraft de-laston. Pigs suffered most in this respect, and were assumed to be pe-culiarly attractive to devils, and, therefore, particularly liable to diabolical ession, as is evident from the legion that went out of the tomb-haunting man and were permitted, at their own request, to enter into the Gadarene herd of swine. Indeed, the greatest theo-logical authority of the Middle Ages, Thomas Aquinas, maintained that beasts are but embodiments of evil spirits. Chassence quotes this opinion, and adds that in excommunicating ani-mals the anathema "is aimed inferentially at the devil, who uses irrational creatures to our detriment." Still more recently, a French Jesuit, Pere ngeant, set forth the same view in a ophical treatise. - Atlantic Month-

-The latest theory about the interior of the earth is that it is twice as dense as the solid materials of the surface, and, though very bot, no portion of it

In the set of the room ides the woman and myselt, and that is the old man in bod.

The room was not large, but everying in it denoted comfort.

The two years succeeding my adventure) recorded above were given to interminable study and real. I very seldom last a case I playing by rubbing every evening with the room was not large, but everying in it denoted comfort.

their own country. He attacks the present system of election in Massachusetts as follows:

SONGFOLINTS BULDS THE POWER.

"Why should the power classes have the ballot, and thus the masses raie the country against us? Or as one of their magazines published in Bosten expresses it." A few oid families have the traditional right to govern the polities of Massachusetts. So that in Massachusetts and filhode Island, as a beginning, we find each legislature striving in its hurn to throw a very obstruction, hinderance, and impediancit in the way to prevent the poor man exercising a freewant's right to east his ballot, and to drive him from the polit by requiring money qualifications and all other devices that ingranuity may invent. By these means librake Island is governed by the few and not by the many; by an aristocracy of birth and wealth, and not by the people. In the 'time general obsertion for members of Congress in that State, Affil votes only wore thrown by all parties in the election of a member of Congress, while at the West, where a free ballot is still in the hands of every man at the same election of a Congressman. And this is called equal representation of the people arise in their might and bring back the Government where our revolutionary fathers placed it, on the foundation of freedom, with equal significant in the beginning, what will be the end! Let the people arise in their might and bring back the Government where our revolutionary fathers placed it, on the foundation of freedom, with equal significant here were two parties contending for great principles; the Federal against the Bemorratic. The one copresented far expetition, for the one of King Goorge's Government. Hamilton and Admiss helieving that king to add it the expution of King Goorge's Government. Hamilton and Admission was not him party. When the Federal party was in powers to great that in that only there was no third party. When the Federal party was in powers for the rights of the people held away, and caused they may be continued

sity cut. Her name was Riese Jones, and she is of one of the leading families in the pass away the time. PHILADELPHIA, August 19.-The ship Theodore Vorner, from Hamburg, arrived pesterday. She had two hundred and eightyfive bales of rags. While at Hamburg she place, when the Collector of the Port inormed the Board of Health that there was nothing to show from what points the rags had been collected, and inquired if it was safe to allow the vessel to be unleaded. The board directed the Collector to hold the vessel until the source of the shipment of Thoy, N. Y., August 20,-W. H. Vander bilt has sold Mand S, to Robert Bonner for

The Crisis in the Coal Region

make no public demonstration, but will use their influence with the wives of the work-

Sad Accident.

Rough on Ruga-

pealed to not to resort to violence.

holic odor was all that escaped. The coffin JENNIE: "My doggie has a twenty-dol-lar blanket." Tominy: "That's suffin; my doggie has got finas."—Brook'ya Times. and back, the face, the chest and extremflesh had been earefully removed to the very bones. The marks of the sharp knife were plainly visible. The eyes were de-cayed, the face covered with shaggy red

over which was a seal skin cap with cars and fied under the chin. There were wooden bandages about the wrists and ankles, and considerable gravel upon the chest. The feet sud kands seemed white and swellen. The remains were fully identified by reintives from the teeth, a crippled finger and well preserved features. Death was evidently caused by starvation. The intestines were all in place but empty. The stemesh only contained a small amount "Rough on Coughs," ISe., at Drurs plete cure Coughs, Hearseness, Set

of hair and mossy stuff. No marks of vio-lence or disease were apparent. The seal skin cap and lock of hair were preserved. * Rough on Corns." 15c. Ask for it. Con plete cure, hard or roft corns, warts, bunion CINCINNATI, August 19.-A Wood's Run Pa. special says: Robert McClure of the coal and iron police, and a number of depu-ties visited the miners' camp for the pur-pose of arresting strikers charged with concenerally stuck up. spire v and seault, but as they were una the to identify their men, they were obliged In wiping a child's nose, be exceedingly excelul to leave the nose.—Bill Nge, in Opinion. to leave without making any arrests. About two bundred of the strikers followed the offloers around but made no attempt to molest them. The strikers say the arrests have

Hang your watch around your neck when you go in bathing; you will loss time it you don't,—Lowell Citizen. rests were made for the purpose of infliod-dating them and that the charges are frivofous. Large accessions are expected to the force from the lower pools. Preparations are being made for the organization of women. It has been decided that they will "Buchu-paiba." Quick, complete curs, all annoying Kidney and Urinary Diseases, \$1.

A book is sometimes a far and an earth-quake always is.—Loccell Convier.

THE GENERAL MARKETS.

lugmen, and with miners at their homes of evenings. A large meeting was held yes-terday afternoon, at which officers were ap-BLOOMINGTON, IND., August 19,-News was received of another sad aecident in the WHEAT-No. The folks were out making hay and leading it on a wagon, and the young lady was tramping it down. When the load was complete she went to get down at the front and slipped and fell. The horses took fright, began kicking and started to run. By the time she could be got out from the chains she was dend. Her head was terri-WOOL-Missouri, unwashed. POTATOES-Per bushel.....

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Vanderbill \$50,000 for Mand S. It JayKye-See beats the time of Mand S. It Moss—Good to chois
Bonnes will put the mare into training and
give the public a free exhibition of speed.
W. H. Vanderbilt was interviewed, but deelined to say what was the price he received
for the mare.

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The same depth balls in fin, manner to t very largely of some species of reeds or cane, as best adapted for strength and lightness; notably the bamboo, rattan.

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WHEN a Frenchman bisses his girl he does it on her forchead. No wonder the French demand that the bang must go.

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